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TOWN OF HERNDON NAMES ZONING ADMINISTRATOR Deputy Zoning Administrator Promoted to Position

Herndon, VA (June 1, 2010) – The Town of Herndon has appointed Mark R. Holland to the position of zoning administrator. Holland had been the town's planner/deputy zoning administrator, a position he assumed in 2000.

As zoning administrator, Holland is responsible for administering the town's zoning and subdivision ordinances and for assisting in setting policy and directives for their enforcement. He also manages the permitting function of the Community Development department, including supervision of permitting staff, and provides staff support to Board of Zoning Appeals.

As planner/deputy zoning administrator, Holland had been involved in all facets of site plan and subdivision plan review for the town. Prior to his town employment, he served as zoning and property maintenance inspector for Prince William County, Virginia, and as zoning code enforcement officer for the Town of Cary, North Carolina. Holland holds a BS degree in urban and regional planning from East Carolina University.

"Mark has provided capable and insightful consultation to the Town Council, boards and commissions, staff and citizens throughout his tenure," said Lisa Gilleran, director of Community Development and the town official to whom Holland reports. "The town is fortunate to have a professional of Mark's caliber to promote into this important position."

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 23,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 25,000 people. *Business Week* Magazine has named Herndon one of the nation's "Best Affordable Suburbs," and *Money* Magazine has ranked Herndon among its "Best Places for the Rich and Single."

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